

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of the subject application are respectfully solicited.

Claims 2 through 4, 8, 10, 12, and 14 through 18 are pending, with Claims 2, 8, 14, 15, and 17 being independent. Claims 2, 3/2, 4/2, 5/2, 6/2, 8, 10, 12, and 14 remain withdrawn from consideration as non-elected. Claims 1, 5 through 7, and 11 have been cancelled without prejudice. Claims 3 and 4 have been amended. Claims 15 through 18 have been added.

Claims 1, 3/1, 4/1, 5/1, 6/1, 7, and 11 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over previously-cited U.S. Patent No. 6,122,078 (Leberl, et al.) in view of newly-cited U.S. Patent No. 7,015,954 B1 (Foote, et al.). All rejections are respectfully traversed.

Claims 15 and 17 variously recite, *inter alia*, calculating first transform conditions, each of which is for transforming an orientation of a respective one of the plurality of image sensing devices at a target image frame into an orientation at a predetermined image frame which is different from the target image frame.

However, Applicants respectfully submit that neither Leberl, et al. nor Foote, et al., even in the proposed combination, assuming, *arguendo*, that the documents could be combined, discloses or suggests at least the above-discussed claimed features as recited, *inter alia*, in Claims 15 and 17.

Applicants also respectfully submit that there has been no showing of any indication of motivation in the cited documents that would lead the artisan to attempt to arrive at such features.

The dependent claims are also submitted to be patentable because they set forth additional aspects of the present invention and are dependent from independent claims discussed

above. Therefore, separate and individual consideration of each dependent claim is respectfully requested.

Applicants submit that this application is in condition for allowance, and a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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